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1. CHIEF JUSMMAT HAS RECEIVED TWO QUERIES ON STATUS TURKISH MUNITIONS SEIZED FROM LASH ESPANA BY GOG: FIRST FROM LTGEN CELASUN, CHIEF J-4, TURKISH GENERAL STAFF, THEN FROM GENERAL ALPKAYA, COMMANDER TURKISH AIR FORCE. BOTH WERE INFORMED THAT U.S. EFFORTS TO SECURE RELEASE OF SHIPMENT ARE CONTINUING.

2. REVIEW OF FMS CONTRACTS COVERING CONTENTS OF THREE SEIZED
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LASH BARGES REVEALS ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS WERE PART

OF FMS CASES TK-AAP ACCEPTED 14 SEPT 74, TK-AAS ACCEPTED 15 DEC 72, AND TK-AAR ACCEPTED 29 MAR 73, WHICH SPECIFIED GOT WOULD ACCEPT TITLE TO ITEMS COVERED BY THOSE CASES AT PORT OF DESTINATION. THEREFORE, FOLLOWING ITEMS REMAIN LEGAL PROPERTY OF USG UNTIL DELIVERED IN TURKEY; TK-AAP; 4,094 M905 TAIL FUSES; 9,000 M9 DELAY ELEMENTS; 516 MK 81 250 LB BOMBS; 550 FIN MAU-94B; 300 MK-83 1,000 LB BOMBS; 300 FIN F/MK83; 4,116 M904 NOSE FUSES. TK-AAS: 1,170 ADAPTER BOOSTERS; 582 MK82 500 LB BOMBS; 4,800 M9 DELAY ELEMENTS; 1,180 T45E9 ADAPTER BOOSTERS; 2,340 M905A1 TAIL FUSES; 1,170 M904 NOSE FUSES. TK-AAR: 410 CBUT-58 BOMBS.

3. ALSO INCLUDED IN SEIZED SHIPMENT IS FOLLOWING CARGO WHICH BECAME LEGAL PROPERTY GOT ON DELIVERY AT POINT OF SHIPMENT: FMS CAST TK-ABF-P4 ACCEPTED 27 DEC 73 CONSISTING OF 350 ROUNDS 5 INCH 38 CALIBER NAVY AMMO; AND TK-AAV ACCEPTED 6 OCT 73 CONSISTING OF 5,000 2.75 HE ROCKET WARHEADS.

4. FACT THAT MUCH OF SHIPMENT REMAINS LEGAL PROPERTY USG MIGHT USEFULLY BE INCORPORATED INTO RENEWED APPROACHES TO GOG WHICH DEPARTMENT MAY BE CONTEMPLATING.

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